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Application No.: 10/098,574	)	Examiner: Unassigned
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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR	)	
PROVIDING HAIR TINTING	)	
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**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

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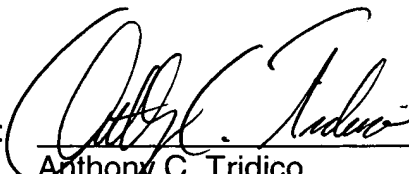
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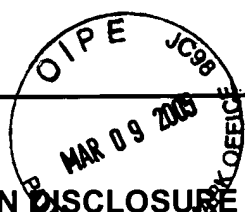
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